

**Amendments to the Specification:**

Please replace the paragraph starting at page 2, line 3 with the following amended paragraph:

EPDs of different pixel or cell structures have been reported previously, for example, the partition-type EPD (M.A. Hopper and V. Novotny, IEEE Trans. Electr. Dev., 26(8):1148 1152 (1979)), the microencapsulated EPD (US Patent Nos. 5,961,804 and 5,930,026) and the total internal reflection (TIR) type of EPD using micropisms or microgrooves as disclosed in M.A. Mossman, et al, SID 01 Digest pp. 1054 (2001); SID IDRC proceedings, pp. 311 (~~2001~~) (2000); and SID'02 Digest, pp. 522 (2002).

Please replace the paragraph starting at page 18, line 16 with the following amended paragraph:

When the display dispersion comprises the electrophoretic microparticles of the present invention without a pigment contained therein, the display may be based on total internal reflection as disclosed in M.A. Mossman, et al, SID 01 Digest pp. 1054 (2001); SID IDRC proceedings, pp. 311 (~~2001~~) (2000) and SID'02 Digest, pp. 522 (2002). In the display with the TIR switching mode, the reflection of light is modulated by moving the microparticles into optical contact with the prismatic reflector surface.